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Re: New U.S. Patent Appln.  
Our Ref: 080437.51702US

Sir:

Transmitted herewith for filing is the patent application of:

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Entitled: **LASER DIODE SYSTEM**

Enclosed are:

1. Specification, including 16 claims (12 pages ).
2. 3 Sheets of Formal Drawings Showing Figs. 1-8.
3. Declaration and Power of Attorney (**Unexecuted**).
4. Application Data Sheet
5. The filing fee has been calculated as shown below:

Basic Fee						\$385/770	=	\$770.00
Total Claims	<u>16</u>	-	20	=	<u>0</u>	x	\$9/18	= \$
Independent Claims	<u>4</u>	-	3	=	<u>1</u>	x	\$43/86	= \$86.00
Multiple Dependent Claim Presented						\$140/280	=	\$
Total Filing Fee								<u>\$856.00</u>

Two checks in the amount of \$856.00 for the filing fee is enclosed. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 05-1323 (Docket #080437.51702US). A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

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